

Spring | 2026



2026 Tryouts & ID Sessions

A black and white photograph of several soccer players in action, wearing white jerseys with 'DM INJURY LAW' on the front. One player in the foreground is kicking a soccer ball.

UNION KC
SUMMER 2026

BOYS PLATFORM 	MAY 18-21 MAY 27
GIRLS PLATFORM 	MAY 26/JUNE 1
OPEN SESSIONS CLUB U8-U19	MAY 26 - MAY 28
PRE-SELECTION CAMP CLUB U8-U19	JUNE 1 - JUNE 3
TRYOUTS CLUB U8-U19	JUNE 4 - JUNE 7

CLUB TRYOUT LEVELS PRE-ECNL PRE-GA 

Scholarship Winners

Congratulations to **Ava Edwards** and **Cody Bland** on being selected as our two winners of the 2026 \$1,000 college scholarship award. Ava will be attending UMKC, and Cody will attend Truman State University.

We also want to recognize a couple other applicants with the Union KC Shield Values Award: **Lucia Weida**, who will attend Saint Louis University, and **Amri Eischen**, who will attend Rockhurst University. Both received a \$500 scholarship.

The Union KC College Scholarship came into existence through the dedication and commitment from the Union KC Club Membership. Funding for our scholarship programs is achieved through charitable fundraising, private donations, and corporate donation.



STARS

Spring STARS got underway on April 11 for the six-week spring season. We have over 50 players registered for this session, and we can't wait to see their growth.

We also had our first STARS graduate into our competitive soccer program. Ryan Ferris (pictured below) is now a proud member of our 2015G Junior Premier MO team coached by Bryce Lausch. Ryan has been a STARS athlete for three years and has shown tremendous growth. We couldn't be prouder of her.

The STARS Golf Fundraiser was a HUGE success, raising just over \$12,000. There are so many people we need to thank, including Perry and Brenda Depew (pictured below) for their event planning and execution, club sponsors, event sponsors and donors, Union KC staff, and everyone who took part in the event to make the day so special. It truly sums up what the Union KC STARS mission, vision, and community are all about.

Proceeds will help purchase more and more adaptive equipment to aid our STARS athletes and help us lower the cost of the program for our families and athletes. STARS is two years old, and we are just getting started.



Anderson Represents in ECNL Event

Our 2011, 2010, 2009, and '07/'08 ECNL teams took to the fields April 10-12 in Indianapolis for the most recent ECNL event. **Luke Anderson**, '07/'08 ECNL team and lifelong Union KC player, represented the club playing in the Continental Tire National Selection Game on day one. These national selection games are "all-star" matches that bring top players together selected by ECNL staff through scouting and recommendations based on past performances. Anderson played on the West team, which ended up winning the game on a PK shootout.



Pictured left to right: Adam Lamb, Dave Wiebenga, Phil Clouse, Luke Anderson, Brandon Watermann and Caio Cezar Monteiro.

WPSL Teams Set for Exciting Season

Union KC is proud to showcase one of the premier women's platforms in the region with three WPSL teams set to compete this season. Our WPSL structure continues to provide meaningful opportunities for high-level players while strengthening the pathway within our club.

What makes this group truly special is the people. Each roster is filled with incredible players and even better individuals, representing the very best of Kansas City's local talent. From current collegiate athletes, former Union KC players, and community standouts, these teams reflect the quality, character, and pride of not only our club, but Kansas City.

With schedules now live, we invite our entire community to come out and support. Whether you're a current player, family member, alumni, or fan of the game, your presence makes a difference and helps create an environment our players deserve. Come be part of the energy, the pride, and the movement. Support the best WPSL program in Kansas City.

SUMMER WPSL LEAGUE

2026 SCHEDULE

MAY 23RD	MAY 29TH
MAY 31ST	JUN 4TH
JUN 7TH	JUN 10TH
JUN 14TH	JUN 20TH
JUN 24TH	JUN 27TH

HOME AWAY

2026 UNION KC WPSL II

SCHEDULE

5.29	SUNFLOWER STATE FC	4:00 PM
5.31	MISSOURI REIGN	1:30 PM
6.3	UNION KC RED	7:00 PM
6.18	OKLAHOMA CITY FC	4:00 PM
6.13	MISSOURI REIGN	2:00 PM
6.17	SPORTING WICHITA	6:00 PM
6.20	LOU FUSZ	3:00 PM
6.24	SUNFLOWER STATE FC	4:00 PM

HOME AWAY

NAVY

UNION KC

2026 UNION KC WPSL II

SCHEDULE

6.31	UNITED CAPITAL CITY	2:00 PM
6.3	UNION KC NAVY	7:00 PM
6.7	MISSOURI REIGN II	3:00 PM
6.13	SALINA	7:00 PM
6.18	MISSOURI REIGN II	6:00 PM
6.21	CENTRAL KS UNITED	12:00 PM
6.27	SIDE FC 92	4:00 PM
6.30	UNITED CAPITAL CITY	6:00 PM

HOME AWAY

RED

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Futures Program Continues Growth

Our Union KC Futures program had an incredible spring session, reaching record numbers with over 70 toddlers and Pre-K players participating. Throughout the session, our youngest athletes have been developing more than just soccer skills. We focus on building strong foundations like self-control, discipline, following directions, sharing, balance, and running coordination, all while introducing the basics of the beautiful game in a fun and engaging environment.

The Futures program is designed to be a child's first step into soccer, and we take great pride in creating a positive, encouraging experience for every player. We are honored that so many families trust us with their children during these important early years.

We're excited to keep the momentum going. Spring 2 and Summer Futures sessions will be announced soon. For further information, please visit <https://www.unionkcsoccer.com/futures>.



Community Involvement

Paddles & Bags for a Purpose

Union KC was recently a proud sponsor in the Paddles & Bags for a Purpose Fundraiser held by the This Little Light organization. The event included pickleball and cornhole tournaments, where Union KC represented with teams Liz and Mason McQueen in pickleball, finishing sixth, and Chuck and Mike Mathis in cornhole, finishing fourth.

This Little Light's mission is to help women and families impacted by breast cancer.

- Promote Invasive Lobular Breast Cancer awareness and education.
- Support women move through diagnosis, treatments, and life after ALL breast cancers.
- Support caregivers who are caring for a loved one with chronic or disabling conditions.



Fan Shop

Attention Union KC moms (and dads who want to treat the moms in their lives for Mother's Day), we now have Soccer Moms Club t-shirts and sweatshirt in stock. These items are available in Comfort Colors, sizes S-XXL.

We will also soon have a Union KC World Cup Nike tee. Watch your emails for dates and locations for any pop-up shops.

Visit our shop at www.unionkcfanshop.com. You can place an order to have it shipped directly to you, or choose pickup at the Union Office on College Blvd.

If you would like to create something special for your team to wear when they head to a tournament, we can help! Contact Carol at carol@unionkcsoccer.com with specifics on what you are looking for and the time frame you are needing items.



Stay Connected with Union KC

To stay up to date and connected with all things Union KC make sure you are following our various social media accounts on Instagram, X (Twitter), and Facebook. All can be found by searching @unionkcsoccer. We love seeing your game day photos or the Union

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We'd like to welcome our new sponsors to the Union KC family:

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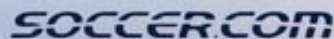
Thank you to all of our incredible sponsors for your continued support of Union KC Soccer Club. Because of you, we're able to create opportunities, grow the game, and make a lasting impact on our players and community. We couldn't do this without you.



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